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BRYAN HARRIS, THE EC COMMISSION DIVISION CHIEF RESPONSIBLE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY IN THE DIRECTORATE GENERAL FOR THE INTERNAL MARKET, TOLD US ON JANUARY 30 THAT MEMBER STATE EXPERTS WILL BE MEETING ON FEBRUARY 24 TO TRY TO RECONCILE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE UK AND THE OTHER EIGHT ON THE EEC PATENT CONVENTION. (THESE DIFFERENCES WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE LUXEMBOURG DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE WHICH WAS TO HAVE BEEN HELD IN MAY, 1974 -- SEE REFTEL). HARRIS WAS NOT VERY OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE OUTCOME OF THE MEETING. HE SAID THAT AT PRESENT THE TARGET DATE FOR THE DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE IS SOMETIME BETWEEN SEPTEMBER AND NOVEMBER OF THIS YEAR BUT WAS NOT CONFIDENT THAT IT COULD TAKE PLACE AT THAT TIME. GREENWALD

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